

June 26, 1943, ch. 145, title I, 57 Stat. 171.
 June 27, 1942, ch. 450, 56 Stat. 395.
 Apr. 5, 1941, ch. 40, 55 Stat. 95.
 Apr. 18, 1940, ch. 107, 54 Stat. 113.
 Mar. 16, 1939, ch. 11, 53 Stat. 525.
 May 23, 1938, ch. 259, 52 Stat. 412.
 June 28, 1937, ch. 396, 50 Stat. 331.
 Mar. 19, 1936, ch. 156, 49 Stat. 1169.
 Feb. 2, 1935, ch. 3, 49 Stat. 7.
 June 16, 1933, ch. 101, 48 Stat. 285.
 June 30, 1932, ch. 330, 47 Stat. 454.
 Feb. 23, 1931, ch. 281, 46 Stat. 1356.
 Apr. 19, 1930, ch. 201, 46 Stat. 230.
 Feb. 20, 1929, ch. 270, 45 Stat. 1231.
 May 16, 1928, ch. 580, 45 Stat. 575.
 Feb. 11, 1927, ch. 104, 44 Stat. 1071.
 Apr. 22, 1926, ch. 171, 44 Stat. 307.

§ 135a. Repealed. Oct. 10, 1940, ch. 851, § 4, 54 Stat. 1111

Section, acts June 28, 1937, ch. 396, § 1, 50 Stat. 331; May 23, 1938, ch. 259, § 1, 52 Stat. 412; Mar. 16, 1939, ch. 11, § 1, 53 Stat. 525; Apr. 18, 1940, ch. 107, § 1, 54 Stat. 113, related to purchase of supplies in minimum quantity without restrictions.

§ 136. Seal of Commission; judicial notice

The commission shall have a seal, which shall be judicially noticed.

(Feb. 11, 1927, ch. 104, § 1, 44 Stat. 1071.)

§ 137. Disposition of land in foreign countries

The commission may, under such terms and conditions and in such manner as the commission may in its discretion deem necessary and proper dispose of any land or interest in land in foreign countries which has been or may hereafter be acquired by the commission in connection with its work.

(Feb. 11, 1927, ch. 104, § 1, 44 Stat. 1071.)

CODIFICATION

Provisions of this section were to be superseded by the third paragraph of section 138b of this title upon the expiration of the Surplus Property Act of 1944. See References in Text note set out under section 138b of this title.

§ 138. Records and archives

The records and archives of the Commission, shall, when no longer required by the Commission, be deposited with the National Archives in accordance with the provisions of section 2107 of title 44.

(Mar. 4, 1923, ch. 283, § 9, formerly § 11, 42 Stat. 1510; June 26, 1946, ch. 502, 60 Stat. 318; renumbered § 9 and amended July 25, 1956, ch. 721, §§ 2(c), 4(a), 70 Stat. 640, 641.)

CODIFICATION

“Section 2107 of title 44” substituted in text for “the Federal Records Act of 1950 (44 U.S.C. 397)” on authority of Pub. L. 90-620, § 2(b), Oct. 22, 1968, 82 Stat. 1305, the first section of which enacted Title 44, Public Printing and Documents, and Pub. L. 98-497, title I, § 102(a)(1), Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2280, which renumbered section 2103 of Title 44 (as enacted by Pub. L. 90-620) as section 2107.

AMENDMENTS

1956—Act July 25, 1956, § 4(a), substituted “when no longer required by the Commission” for “upon the ter-

mination of its duties” and required deposit of records and archives in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Records Act of 1950 (44 U.S.C. 397).

1946—Act June 26, 1946, amended section generally. Former provisions of this section are covered by section 138a of this title.

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

National Archives Establishment transferred to General Services Administration by act June 30, 1949, ch. 288, title I, § 104(a), 63 Stat. 381. On Dec. 11, 1949, National Archives and Records Service, under direction of Archivist of the United States, established by Administrator of General Services to succeed National Archives Establishment. National Archives and Records Service of General Services Administration transferred to National Archives and Records Administration, see section 2102 of Title 44, Public Printing and Documents, and sections 103 to 106 and 108 of Pub. L. 98-497, set out as notes under section 2102 of Title 44.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

Transfer of functions as effective July 1, 1949, see section 605 of act June 30, 1949, set out as an Effective Date note under section 471 of Title 40, Public Buildings, Property, and Works.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 121, 125, 127, 128, 138a, 138b of this title.

§ 138a. Appropriations

Such sum or sums as Congress may after June 26, 1946, appropriate for the purposes of sections 121, 122b to 125, 127, 128, 131, 132, and 138 to 138b of this title are authorized to be appropriated.

(Mar. 4, 1923, ch. 283, § 11, formerly § 13, as added June 26, 1946, ch. 502, 60 Stat. 318; renumbered § 11, July 25, 1956, ch. 721, § 2(c), 70 Stat. 640.)

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 121, 125, 127, 128, 138b of this title.

§ 138b. Acquisition and disposition of land in foreign countries; operation of vehicles; establishment of offices; printing authority; contract power; effective date; delegation of authority; claims against Commission

Within the limits of any appropriation or appropriations made for the purposes of sections 121, 122b to 125, 127, 128, 131, 132, and 138 to 138b of this title, the Commission is authorized (1) to acquire land or interest in land in foreign countries for carrying out the purposes of said sections or of any Executive order conferring functions upon the Commission without submission to the Attorney General of the United States under the provisions of section 255 of title 40; (2) to maintain, repair, and operate motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles and other property, which may be furnished to the Commission by other departments of the Government; (3) to establish offices in the District of Columbia and elsewhere in or outside of the United States; (4) to rent office and garage space in foreign countries which may be paid for in advance; (5) to procure printing, binding, engraving, lithographing, photographing, and typewriting, including the publication of information concerning the American activities, battlefields, memorials, and cemeteries with respect to which it may exercise any functions.